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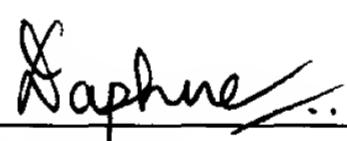
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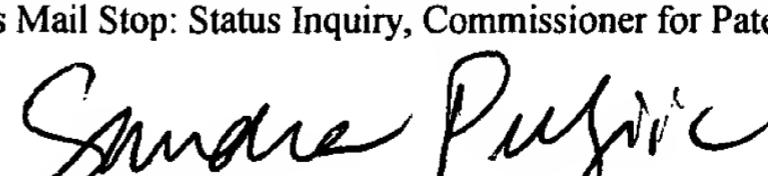
  
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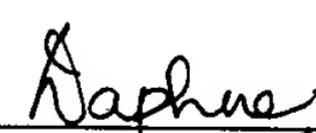
This is to correct an error in the earlier status inquiry letter mailed on August 11, 2003.

This application was filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on 7/11/2001, approximately 25 months prior to the date of this letter. A response to the first office action was filed on February 19, 2003. The purpose of this communication is to inquire as to the status of the above-identified application. Please contact the undersigned by mail, or by telephone at the number set out below with regard to the status of this application.

We apologize for any inconvenience caused.

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